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PART V

Season Report for the Week ending with the Fifty first Saturday in 1939
(23*rd December* 1939.)

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 23rd December 1939										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1939									
					This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2				4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
BANGALORE												Seers	Seers	Seers
Bangalore(observatory)	0	00	0	05	35	26	34	04	1	22				
Hoskote ...	0	00	0	04	40	36	28	98	11	38				
Dodballapur ...	0	00	0	01	38	56	29	94	8	62				
Nelamangala ...	0	00	0	05	35	44	29	92	5	52	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·00	6·00	6·00
Kankanhalli ...	0	00	0	06	37	91	30	53	7	38				
Magadi ...	0	00	0	02	32	46	32	46	6	00	Ragi	14·00	16·00	15·00
Channapatna ...	0	00	0	13	37	13	32	75	4	38				
Anekal ...	0	00	0	06	32	51	33	13	— 0	62	Kulthi	11·00	10·00	10·50
Devanhalli ...	0	00	0	12	39	03	29	22	9	81				
Closepet ...	0	00	0	11	30	68	32	48	— 1	80	Kadale	6·50	7·50	7·00
District average ...	0	00	0	06	36	53	31	34	5	19				
KOLAR														
Kolar ...	0	00	0	05	30	76	27	56	3	20				
Bowringpet ...	0	00	0	12	28	22	28	57	— 0	35				
Chintamani ...	0	00	0	06	33	41	26	83	6	58				
Mulbagal ...	0	00	0	08	31	18	29	42	1	76	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	7·00
Sidlaghatta ...	0	00	0	04	42	04	28	82	13	22				
Chikballapur ...	0	00	0	00	35	55	29	43	6	12	Ragi	15·00	15·00	13·00
Bagepalli ...	0	00	0	08	20	98	25	75	— 4	77				
Goribidnur ...	0	00	0	04	23	98	27	15	— 3	17	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	11·00
Malur ...														
Srinivaspur ...	0	00	0	11	32	80	29	67	3	13	Kadale	7·00	7·00	7·00
Gudibanda ...	0	00	0	04	33	76	27	74	6	02				
	0	00	0	09	32	19	30	16	2	03				
District average ...	0	00	0	06	31	35	28	28	3	07				
TUMKUR														
Tumkur ...														
Madhugiri ...	0	00	0	05	31	70	32	02	— 0	32				
Chiknaikanhalli ...	0	00	0	05	30	59	26	62	3	97	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	8·00	5·00
Sira ...	0	00	0	01	36	00	27	09	8	91				
Gubbi ...	0	00	0	00	25	59	22	38	3	21	Ragi	16·00	16·00	11·00
Tiptur ...	0	00	0	01	34	28	28	39	5	89				
Pavagada ...	0	00	0	04	29	95	24	14	5	81	Kulthi	12·50	9·50	12·00
Kunigal ...	0	00	0	05	22	44	21	14	1	30				
Koratagere ...	0	00	0	05	35	30	30	07	5	23	Kadale	6·50	6·00	5·00
Turuvekere ...	0	00	0	00	29	10	25	30	3	80				
	0	00	0	00	31	45	27	49	3	96				
District average ...	0	00	0	03	30	64	26	46	4	18				

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 23rd December 1939										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1939									
					This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
MYSORE														
Mysore (observatory)	0	00	0	05	26	59	29	69	— 3	10				
Chamarajnagar ...	0	00	0	04	32	80	26	87	5	93				
Hunsur ...	0	00	0	00	28	27	30	82	— 2	55				
Krishnarajnagar ...	0	00	0	04	27	05	26	26	0	79		Seers	Seers	Seers
Heggaddevankote	0	00	0	04	34	75	37	67	— 2	92	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	9·00
Gundlupet ...	0	00	0	09	28	83	25	85	2	98				
Nanjangud ...	0	00	0	04	33	68	28	48	5	20	Ragi	13·00	13·50	14·00
T.-Narsipur ...	0	00	0	05	31	04	27	55	3	49				
Periyapatna ...	0	00	0	07	39	43	33	50	5	93	Kulthi	8·00	8·00	9·00
District average ...	0	00	0	04	31	38	29	63	1	75	Kadale	10·00	10·00	10·00
MANDYA														
Mandya (observatory)	0	00	0	06	27	21	27	22	0	01				
Seringapatam ...	0	00	0	10	30	44	26	71	3	73	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·25	8·00
Malvalli ...	0	00	0	05	24	75	27	01	— 2	26				
Krishnarajpete ...	0	00	0	03	22	91	29	00	— 6	09				
Nagamangala ...	0	00	0	08	26	89	27	38	— 0	49	Ragi	14·00	13·50	15·00
Maddur ...	0	00	0	10	32	52	28	02	4	50				
French-Rocks ...	0	00	0	09	35	12	26	63	8	49	Kulthi	9·00	9·50	11·00
District average	0	00	0	07	28	55	27	42	1	13				
HASSAN														
Hassan (observatory)	0	00	0	15	25	44	34	70	— 9	26				
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0	00	0	10	82	00	92	47	—10	47	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	8·00	9·00
Arkalgud ...	0	00	0	06	38	49	37	32	1	17				
Belur ...	0	00	0	09	36	64	40	13	— 3	49	Ragi	16·00	14·00	17·00
Channarayapatna ...	0	00	0	11	27	38	27	32	0	06				
Arsikere ...	0	00	0	10	29	70	26	31	3	39	Kulthi	16·00	12·00	15·00
Hole-Narsipur	0	00	0	05	26	95	27	64	— 0	69				
Alur ...	0	00	0	09	49	20	42	56	6	64	Kadale	5·50	5·50	8·00
District average ...	0	00	0	09	39	47	41	05	— 1	58				
SHIMOGA														
Shimoga ...	0	00	0	06	30	12	30	93	— 0	81				
Channagiri ...	0	00	0	06	28	26	29	25	— 0	99				
Honnali ...	0	00	0	07	32	42	23	42	9	06	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·25	7·25	6·68
Shikarpur ...	0	00	0	10	37	56	35	48	2	08				
Scrab ...	0	00	0	05	51	79	61	07	— 9	28	Ragi	16·00	16·00	15·83
Sagar ...	0	00	0	03	73	29	83	50	—10	21				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	0	00	0	05	102	09	103	36	— 1	27	Kulthi	9·75	9·75	10·19
Tirthahalli ...	0	00	0	08	104	91	120	87	—15	96				
Kumsi ...	0	00	0	06	35	59	41	00	— 5	41				
District average ...	0	00	0	06	55	11	58	76	— 3	65				
KADUR														
Chikmagalur ...	0	00	0	10	42	38	35	22	7	16				
Kadur ...	0	00	0	13	23	82	23	11	0	71	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	8·00
Tarikere ...	0	00	0	12	31	63	35	93	— 4	30				
Koppa ...	0	00	0	10	113	08	116	77	— 3	69	Ragi	14·00	14·00	14·00
Mudgere ...	0	00	0	15	83	47	95	54	—12	07				
Narasimharajpura ...	0	00	0	00	57	02	69	13	—12	11	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	10·00
Sringeri ...	0	00	0	18	133	29	146	22	—12	93				
											Kadale	6·50	7·00	6·00
District average ...	0	00	0	11	69	24	74	56	— 5	32				
CHITALDRUG														
Chitaldrug (observatory)	0	00	0	06	34	13	24	34	9	79				
Challakere ...	0	00	0	00	22	07	17	76	4	31	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	6·00
Hiriyur ...	0	00	0	00	19	57	21	71	— 2	14				
Holalkere ...	0	00	0	00	24	80	24	27	0	53	Ragi	16·00	16·00	12·00
Davangere ...	0	00	0	00	26	27	25	25	1	02				
Molakalmuru ...	0	00	0	00	26	91	23	67	3	24	Kulthi	11·00	11·00	9·00
Jagalur ...	0	00	0	00	29	16	21	80	7	36				
Hosdurga ...	0	00	0	04	24	76	23	39	1	37	Cholum	18·00	16·00	12·00
Harihar ...	0	00	0	08	20	55	20	98	—0	43				
											Kadale	4·50	4·50	6·00
District average ...	0	00	0	02	25	36	22	58	2	78				
Provincial average ...	0	00	0	06	38	63	37	79	0	84				

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa
Ragi—Eleusine Coracana.
Kulthi—Horsegram) Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgere.
Kadale—(Bengalgram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Avare, thogari and sugarcane in the Taluks of Bangalore North, Bangalore South, Hoskote, Dodballapur, Magadi, Anekal, Channapatna and Closepet; paddy in the Taluks of Bangalore North, Bangalore South, Magadi, Devanhalli, Channapatna and Closepet; horsegram in Hoskote, Dodballapur, Magadi, Anekal and Closepet Taluks; groundnut in parts of Hoskote and Magadi Taluks; and ragi in Dodballapur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi is reported to be being harvested in Bangalore North, Bangalore South, Kankanhalli and Closepet Taluks; paddy in Bangalore South, Kankanhalli and Anekal Taluks and groundnut in Kankanhalli Taluk. In some parts of Kankanhalli and Dodballapur Taluks; sugarcane is reported to be being milled.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except in some portions of Kankanhalli Taluk, where Rinderpest is reported to be prevailing. Action is reported to have been taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

Agricultural Operations.—Wet lands are being ploughed for sowing vaishaki paddy in Kolar and Chintamani Taluks.

Crops Sown.—Garlic in Sidlaghatta Taluk; potatoes in Chikballapur Taluk; onions in Sidlaghatta and Chikballapur Taluks.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy, ragi, avare, sugarcane, thogari, horsegram and chillies.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi and groundnuts in all Taluks; paddy in Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal and Chikballapur Taluks; horsegram in Goribidnur Taluk; potatoes in Kolar, Sidlaghatta and Malur Taluks; cabbage in Malur Taluk; chillies in Malur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy except for "Black quarters" at Sivarapatna, Malur Taluk.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.
Fodder and water are generally available.

TUMKUR.

8. Well supplied.

Agricultural Operations.—Nil.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Paddy in Tumkur and Pavagada Taluks and cholam in Gubbi Taluk are reported to have been sown.

Standing Crops.—Avare and thogari in all the Taluks; ragi in Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Kunigal Taluks; sugarcane in Madhugiri, Gubbi, Kunigal, Kortagere and Turuvekere, Taluks; paddy in Tumkur, Gubbi, Tiptur and Pavagada Taluks; groundnuts in Madhugiri and Pavagada Taluks; castor seeds in Chiknayakanhalli, Tiptur and Turuvekere Taluks; cotton in Pavagada Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi in Tumkur, Madhugiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, Tiptur Pavagada and Turuvekere Taluks; paddy in Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, and Tiptur Taluks; groundnut in Tumkur, Madhugiri, Pavagada and Kortagere Taluks; sugarcane in Kunigal and Turuvekere Taluks; cholam in Madhugiri and Chiknayakanhalli Taluks; kulthi in Tumkur and Tiptur Taluks and save and navane in Pavagada Taluk are reported to have been harvested.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District.
Water and fodder are also reported to be available.
Public health is reported to be generally good.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops—Coriander, horsegram, bengalgram, sugarcane, thogari, avare and castor in parts of Chamarajnagar Taluk, tobacco, gingelly, avare, castor and togari in Hunsur Taluk; paddy, thogari, avare, bengalgram, blackgram, coriander and tobacco in parts of Heggaddevankote; castor, thogari, avare, greengram and ragi in Gundlupet Taluk; thogari, mulberry and castor in parts of T.-Narsipur Taluk and thogari, avare and horsegram in parts of Periyapatna Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi and paddy in Mysore and T.-Narsipur Taluks; ragi, greengram, paddy and blackgram in Chamarajnagar Taluk; paddy in parts of Hunsur and Krishnarajnagar Taluks; chillies and horsegram in Heggaddevankote Taluk; paddy, ragi, greengram, chillies and horsegram in Nanjangud Taluk and thogari and horsegram in Periyapatna Sub-Taluk.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are generally healthy except for the prevalence of Rinderpest in parts of Mysore and Heggaddevankote Taluks.
Fodder and water are available.

MANDYA.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Are reported to be in good condition in all the Taluks.

Crops Harvested.—It is reported that paddy in parts of all the Taluks except Nagamangala, ragi in parts of Mandya, Maddur and French-rocks Taluks; and sugarcane in parts of Mandya, Maddur and French-rocks Taluks are being harvested.

10. Fair.

11. Water and fodder are reported to be available.
Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Chapperoga" in Hanakola Village, Malvalli Taluk. Action is reported to have been taken to arrest the spread of the disease.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Such as paddy, ragi, horsegram and sugarcane in Arkalgud Taluk; sugarcane, avare and bengalgram in Belur Taluk; paddy, ragi, avare, thogari and horsegram in Channarayapatna Taluk; cotton, castor, chillies thogari, avare, coriander and bengalgram in Arsikere Taluk; avare, thogari and horsegram in Hole-Narsipur Taluk; and sugarcane, thogari and avare in Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy, sugarcane and horsegram in Hassan Taluk; paddy and ragi in Arkalgud Taluk; paddy and sugarcane in Belur Taluk; ragi in Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks; and paddy in Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be under harvest.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be favourable.
11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.
Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.
9. *I. Standing Crops.*—Sugarcane in all the taluks; paddy in the taluks of Shimoga, Chennagiri and Nagar, jola, horsegram and other dry crops in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab and Kumsi Sub-Taluk are in good condition.
II. Crops Harvested.—Paddy in all the taluks; ragi in the taluks of Shimoga, Sorab and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; jola in Channagiri and Shikarpur Taluks; areca in the taluks of Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli are being harvested.
10. Prospects of the season are fair.
Cooly classes find sufficient labour.
Food grains are available.
11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy all over the district.
Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Well supplied.
9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.
Standing Crops.—Paddy, ragi, sugarcane, avare, bengalgram, summer jola, horse gram, castor, coriander, groundnut, cardamom, areca and coffee are reported to be in good condition.
Crops Harvested.—Paddy, save, horsegram, groundnut, areca, coffee and cardamom are being harvested.
10. Prospects of the season are reported to be in good condition.
11. Cattle are reported to be in good health.
Water and fodder are available to them throughout the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.
9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Sowing—Nil.
Standing Crops.—Such as horsegram, thogari, avare, cotton, paddy, kade jola and sugarcane are reported to be in good condition.
Crops Harvested.—Navane and sajje in Chellakere Taluk; ragi, paddy and horsegram in Hiriyur Taluk; jola in Holalkere Taluk; jola, horsegram and avare in Davangere Taluk; groundnut and paddy in Molakalmuru Taluk; horsegram, navane and ragi in Hosdurga Taluk; and navane, ragi and jola in Harihar Sub-Taluk are being harvested.
10. Prospects of the season are good.
11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District.
Water and fodder are available.
There was no rainfall during the week in the district.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, 26th December 1939.

S. ABDUL WAJID,
Revenue Commissioner.

Statement showing the prices current (retail) of rice (2nd sort), ragi and horsegram, at the several Taluk Headquarters for the week ending Saturday, the 23rd December 1939.

District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas					
		Rice, 2nd sort		Ragi		Horse-gram	
		Srs.	ch.	Srs.	ch.	Srs.	ch.
Bangalore	Bangalore North	6	0	14	0	11	0
	,, South	6	8	14	0	10	0
	Hoskote	7	0	15	0	10	0
	Dodballapur	7	0	14	8	9	8
	Nelamangala	7	0	15	0	12	0
	Kankanhalli	7	0	14	0	8	8
	Magadi	8	8	16	0	9	8
	Channapatna	7	8	13	0	8	0
	Anekal	6	8	14	0	9	0
	Devanhalli	7	0	14	0	10	0
	Closepet	7	0	14	0	9	0
Kolar	Kolar	8	0	15	0	10	0
	Bowringpet	7	8	14	0	9	0
	Chintamani	7	0	14	0	9	8
	Mulbagal	8	8	14	0	9	0
	Sidlaghatta	7	0	14	0	9	0
	Chikballapur	8	8	15	0	9	8
	Bagepalli	7	8	16	0	10	0
	Goribidnur	7	0	15	0	9	0
	Malur	6	8	14	0	8	8
	Srinivaspur	7	0	15	0	9	0
	Gudibanda	7	8	15	0	10	0
Tumkur	Tumkur	9	0	16	0	12	8
	Madhugiri	8	0	16	0	10	0
	Chiknaikanhalli	8	0	14	0	11	0
	Sira	8	0	18	0	12	0
	Gubbi	7	8	15	0	12	0
	Tiptur	8	0	16	0	10	0
	Pavagada	8	8	18	0	11	0
	Kunigal	8	0	14	0	10	0
	Koratagere	8	0	16	0	9	0
	Turvekere	8	0	14	0	10	0
Mysore	Mysore	7	0	13	0	10	0
	Chamarajnagar	7	0	16	4	12	0
	Hunsur	8	8	16	0	10	0
	Krishnarajnagar	8	0	16	0	12	0
	Heggaddevankote	9	0	16	0	10	0
	Gundlupet	7	0	14	0	9	0
	Nanjangud	7	0	12	8	9	8
	T.-Narsipur	6	8	14	0	10	0
	Periyapatna	8	8	16	0	12	0
Mandya	Mandya	8	0	14	0	9	0
	Seringapatam	7	0	14	0	10	0
	Malvalli	7	0	14	0	9	0
	Krishnarajpet	7	8	14	0	12	0
	Nagamangala	8	0	14	0	9	0
	Maddur	7	0	13	0	8	8
	French-Rocks	7	0	13	0	10	0
Hassan	Hassan	9	0	16	0	16	0
	Manjarabad	7	0	14	0	9	0
	Arkalgud	9	0	20	0	9	0
	Belur	8	0	16	0	12	0
	Channarayapatna	8	8	15	0	10	0
	Arsikere	8	4	16	8	14	0
	Hole-Narsipur	10	0	16	0	12	0
	Alur	10	8	16	0	12	0
Shimoga	Shimoga	7	4	16	0	9	12
	Channagiri	8	0	16	0	9	0
	Honnali	8	8	16	0	10	0
	Shikarpur	9	0	20	0	10	0
	Sorab	8	4	16	0	10	0
	Sagar	7	0	15	0	9	8
	Hosanagar	7	8	16	0	10	0
	Tirthahalli	9	0	14	0	10	0
	Kumsi	8	8	15	0	11	0
Kadur	Chikmagalur	8	0	14	0	10	0
	Kadur	9	0	16	8	14	0
	Tarikere	8	8	16	0	10	0
	Koppa	8	8	14	8	10	0
	Mudgere	7	0	13	8	12	0
	Narasimharajpura	10	0	14	0	10	0
	Sringeri	13	0	13	0	9	0
Chitaldrug	Chitaldrug	8	0	16	0	11	0
	Challakere	8	0	19	0	11	0
	Hiriyur	9	0	18	0	12	0
	Holalkere	6	0	16	0	10	0
	Davangere	8	0	16	0	11	0
	Molakalmuru	8	0	17	0	13	0
	Jagalur	8	0	17	0	12	0
	Hosdurga	9	0	19	0	13	0
	Haribar	8	0	16	0	11	0

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, the 26th December 1939.

S. ABDUL WAJID,
Revenue Commissioner.